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RE: AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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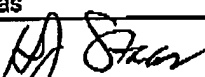
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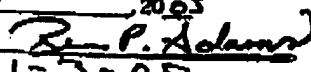
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		Application Number	09/985,766		
		Filing Date	November 6, 2001		
		First Named Inventor	Hiroyuki UTSUMI		
		Group Art Unit	2116		
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FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)					
CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	11	20	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	5	5	0	X \$ 88.00 =	0.00
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Hiroiyuki UTSUMI, et al.

Serial No. 09/985,766

Confirmation No. 4337

Filed: November 6, 2001

Group Art Unit: 2116

Examiner: CHEN, TSE W.

For: PROCESSOR AND RESET CONTROL METHOD FOR THE PROCESSOR

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 3, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on December 3, 2004. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to January 3, 2005.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.